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OUR BARGAIN COLUMN.

BOARDING HOUSE FOR SALE—A well furnished boarding house in this city, centrally located, 21 rooms and good business, for sale. Proprietor going west. Inquire at this office. f23d1f

CARPET CLEANING—Carpets cleaned away from premises. Carpets cleaned and put down when ordered. Orders left at Abel & Lockey will receive prompt attention. aug1.30tf A. ISABEL

LAUNDRIES—Hop Hong's laundries No 152 South Main street and Basement room corner New Deming Hotel. Shirts 10cts, collars 2 cts, cuffs 5 cts a pair, underwear 2 for 15 cts. Work every day 19n6

GOOD BREAD. If you want good bread buy your yeast of Mrs N A Sullivan. Yeast made fresh every week at No 812 North Water street, first house north of Burlee street. 24d2w*

LOST—A pair of black Gordon setters both shave collars and one has a leather belt around the breast which is attached to the collar. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning them to Linn & Scruggs. feb12d1f

FOR SALE OR RENT—About nine acres, near town. Good chance for garden, three-room house good cellar, stable &c, all new. None but a good party prepared to run it need apply. feb16-d2w* Y U PARK

FOR RENT—Five well furnished rooms in Perl's new block south Main street. Inquire of P PERL. feb16w1

FOR RENT—Suites of Rooms for Offices over the New York Store. Wide easy stairs. Closets. Water etc. Best locality in the city. Apply to N HAGERMAN, New York Store. 19-8t

PIANO FOR SALE—Price $75, cost $450. Do not wish to remove it. Call at once. 19d1w N A WHITE

FOR SALE. A large span of mules, 18 hands high well formed good style, seven years old and in good condition. Any child can drive them. Call on J W Fletcher, one and one-half miles southwest of Decatur or address him at Decatur postoffice box 283. f 5 2 d1w*

FOR RENT—Two excellent rooms on the ground floor with grate gas cellar, water etc. First door east of Christian church. f 5 2 d1w* R J. WALSTON, 318 N Main St

THE firm of E. B. Pratt & Co has been dissolved by mutual consent. E. B. Pratt and C Hedges are authorized to collect all accounts and settle outstanding claims. Decatur, Ill., Feb 6, 1884. E. B. PRATT f16-1wa CLARK A. HEDGES CHARLES D. NIMS

COUNTY CONVENTION—Pursuant to a call of the National Home Protection Party, the prohibitionists of Macon county are requested to meet at the Tabernacle, in Decatur, on Friday Feb 22d, at 1 p m for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention and the transacting of other business.—[J S KING Chairman Co Com. 19d3t

Dissolution Notice.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Blenz & Delaney, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due from said firm will be paid, and accounts due them collected by Adam Blenz and the business will be continued by Adam Blenz. ADAM BLENZ Feb 22, 1884 d1w P W DELANEY

FRED PAHMEYER'S

LA FAVORITE

CIGARS.

Formerly 10 cents each are now sold at 5 cents

Having tried several brands, the popular verdict is that there is none better in the market than Fred Pahmeyer's "La Favorite"

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

SHORT HORN

—AND—

JERSEY CATTLE, HORSES, Etc

AT Harristown, Ill., ON

Wednesday, February 27, '84.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A M.

The subscriber will sell his entire herd of Thoroughbred Short Horn and Jersey Cattle, consisting of about 30 Cows and Heifers and four Bulls, also 20 head of High Grade Cows, Heifers and Steers. About 15 Horses and Colts, including the Thoroughbred Stallion STAR BILLET, by Imported Billet. The colts are the get of Mammoth, Robert Allen and Star Billet. Also a lot of Stock Hogs, one Osborne Self Binder, a Fairbanks Stock Scale, about 30 tons of Hay, 15 Stands of Bees, Wagons, Farm Implements, etc

TERMS OF SALE—A credit of six months will be given on all sums of Five dollars and over, under Five dollars, cash. J. N HOYT.

COL. J W JUDY, Auctioneer. 30w4t

Park Hat Store.

We are now receiving a fine line of Hats and Furnishing goods and by March 1st will have a complete line in all departments. Please call and see us.—[H. F EHRMAN & Co. f17d1w

Big Fat Oysters

Just received from New York. Best meals and lunches in the city, and the only Lunch Room and Restaurant that burns the "Famous Electric Light," is at MILLEL'S Lunch Room and Restaurant. f21d1w

Lehigh Coal

Of the very best quality, on hand and for sale in quantities to suit, at Mc Clelland's. f15dtf

OPERA HOUSE

Saturday, February 23

THE MONARCHS OF FUN.

BARRY & FAY BARRY & FAY!

—IN THEIR NEW—

Musical Comedy

(By Wm Carleton, Esq., author of "Fritz in Ireland, &c.) the funniest ever written, entitled

"IRISH ARISTOCRACY,"

HUGH FAY as MICHAEL MULDOON

BILLY BARRY-MIGHAEL MULCAHEY

Supported by their Carefully Selected

Musical Comedy Co.!

THE TRICK DONKEY, DANGER,

Muldoon & Mulcahey on Wheels, and the Famous Three Handed Reel, Under the Management of Mr W McIlven

Popular Prices 25, 50 and 75 cents. Seats on sale at Curtis & Co.'s

THE

O. K. Barber Shop

Still alive and running THREE CHAIRS. Will soon have

Hot and Cold Baths.

—Tickets on sale at—

12 Shaves for $1.00

Has a Fine Line of Cigars. Give the O K Shop a trial.

McEvoy's Block,

No. 759 E. Cerro Gordo St. Dec. Ill. f16dtf

Jas. Dougherty,

—Dealer in—

Coal, Wood, Hay, Straw, Etc.

Orders Received at Few's Grocery Store, East Eldorado Street. Telephone No. 65.

I am prepared to deliver Coal to any part of the city at $2 25 per ton, also Hay at 75 cents per bale and Wood and Straw at Low Prices. Give me your orders and you will not regret it. d30dtf JAMES DOUGHERTY.

Little Nellie Morris, the Child Elocutionist

Complimented by the press and applauded by the public, will give an entertainment consisting of elocution, character-acting and song, at the Universalist church, on Monday evening, Feb 25th. Go and see her if you would like to laugh and cry at the same time. Her forte is the laughable, and yet she is a wonder in the pathetic.

At the close of the readings the ladies of the society will serve refreshments to those who wish to remain. Doors open at 7 p. m Admission, 25 cents.

PRESS NOTICES.

"The appearance of Little Nellie Morris, aged ten years, was greeted with general clapping of hands. The first recitation was followed by a second which prompted ripple after ripple of laughter."—(The above is from a report of Thanksgiving day entertainment at the Chester penitentiary in the St. Louis Globe Democrat.)

"Were most agreeably entertained seeing and hearing the wonderful performances of the child elocutionist, Little Nellie Morris, who is a prodigy in natural elocution, and a Charlotte Cushman in embryo.—Manford's Magazine, Chicago.

Tax Notice.

The taxes for the year 1883 are now due. Parties will please call at the office, No. 137 North Water street, up stairs, over Henry Smith's drug store. feb10 3t JAS. S. CARTER, Collector.

BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO VICTORIOUS.

Meeting of the Democratic National Committee at Washington Yesterday.

Special to the REVIEW.

WASHINGTON, D C, February 22,—The Democratic National committee met in the city to-day, shortly after noon, in the parlors of the Arlington house, with the following named gentlemen as representatives of the different states: Alabama, Levi M. Lawler; Arkansas, John J. Sumpter; California, James F. Farley; Colorado, T M Patterson; Connecticut, Wm H. Barnum; Delaware, Ignatius C. Grubb; Florida, Lemuel Passas; Georgia, Geo. T. Barnes; Illinois, Wm C Goudy; Indiana, Austin H Brown; Iowa, M. M Harn; Kansas, Chas. W. Blair; Kentucky, Henry D McHenry; Louisiana, Representive Blanchard; Maine, Edmund Wilson, Maryland, Outerbridge Horsey; Massachusetts, Frederick O Prince, Michigan, Edward Kaufer, Minnesota, S H. Kelley; Mississippi, Mr. Harris, Missouri, John G. Prather: Nebraska, J. Sterling Morton, Nevada, Senator Farley, New Hampshire, Alfred W. Sulloway, New Jersey, Orestes Cleveland; New York, Abram S Hewitt, North Carolina, M W. Ransom; Ohio, Wm W Armstron, Oregon, Senator Slater; Pennsylvania, W. L Scott; Rhode Island, Mr. Barnaby; South Carolina, F. W, Dawson: Tennessee, Col Looney, Texas, F. L. Stockdale: Vermont, Bradley B Smalley, Virginia, R J S Barbour; West Virginia, Alex Campbell, Wisconsin, Wm J Vilas

It was first decided to hold the convention on June 24th, but on reconsideration the date was changed to July 8th. Delegations from the various cities seeking the convention were present and there was a bitter fight between St Louis and Chicago. On the third ballot, the latter place secured it. The following is the vote

	1st ballot	2nd ballot	3rd ballot
Chicago	15	19	21
St. Louis	14	17	17
Saratoga	5	0	0
Baltimore	0	0	0
Cincinnati	1	2	0
Louisville	3	0	0
Total	38	38	38

"This is where we and the supreme court differ"—[Decatur Republican

"ANSWER not a fool according to his folly, lest he be wise in his own conceit"—[Proverb

IT is unprofessional for doctors to advertise, though they may brag in the public prints of their income

"HERE I am!"—[S J Bumstead. When a monkey climbs a pole he often turns around, and looking wise, chatters, "here I am!"

SUPERSTITION, ignorance and inherent servility to exalted station are the very foundations on which royalty rests.—Louisville Courier Journal

"SLOW UP," is the motto that should now be written, in big letterr, over every school-room door from Portland Maine, to Portland Oregon.—Journal of Education

VERILY the age of reform is at hand. The Republican has acknowledged that it was wrong about the time the amended sinking fund ordinance went into effect.

THERE is a theology of south wind and smooth sea that is becoming very current, and it "takes" prodigiously in these days. It suits human nature exceedingly—Dr T L Cuyler

THOSE who cannot find blessings when walking in the good old ways of industry and cheerful charity, will not be upborne by angels when they fling themselves into the black depths of chance.—Christian Intelligencer

THE Kansas City Star says: 'Frank James owes his prosecution to democrats and ex rebels. He owes his release to Gov. Crittenden, who was an officer in the Union army. It is just as well to have the facts properly understood."

THE president is reported as saying that he never was so happy as when he was teaching school. The people of the United States will kindly permit him to resume his happy vocation after the fourth of March, 1885, if he wants to.

A MEETING of the "Secumbendels" was held last night to consider a proposition for membership from a certain doctor of this city who has lately sought literary notoriety in a morning paper. His proposition was promptly rejected under the 965th rule, that idiots and fools are not eligible.

A PAPER that has no opinions and no principles soon degenerates into a mere retailer of small gossip, and presently finds its support from the baser element of the community, and deports itself accordingly.—Indianapolis Saturday Review

THE Chicago Tribune says that it does not believe a word of the stories of violence in the South. Sergeant Bates and his fourteen year-old boy have reached Savannah in safety, after 1,185 miles of walk and speeches at 118 meetings on the way. This speaks volumes for the patience and meekness of the southern people.

A CERTAIN nondescript physician of this city having failed to secure a partnership with "Dr." Bunce, it is said that "Dr." Henry Jackson, of Monticello, will be taken in. "Dr" Jackson will attend to patients while the other member of the firm will devote himself to collecting the fees and letter writing.

ONE of the dangers of our American training has come through the demand for quick results, for keeness of mind and decisive energy—for "smartness," in a word, rather than for the deeper and richer powers, whose effective value in practical life would be less immediate. Even this demand overreaches itself.—Journal of Education.

MR. T H. STOKES, the genial editor of the Lincoln Times, was in the city last week, and in company with Mr Jack, of the REVIEW, gave us a call. We did not learn, however, just what Stokes was doing here, but we feel safe in saying that when two or three bourbon editors are gathered together some deep, dark and desperate plot against the peaceable citizens of Illinois is being concocted.—State Sentinel.

And yet the State Sentinel is not a republican paper!

KEIFER the Ohio booby, made oath before a congressional committee on Wednesday that Deacon Smith's honored and trusted Washington correspondent, Gen. Boynton, tried to bribe him about a year ago. Now, Keifer's character was well known to Gen Boynton, and his "approach" with a corrupt proposition, if Boynton really ever made it, was nothing strange in the light of republican events during the past twenty years. But Gen Boynton denies the soft impeachment, and it resolves itself into a question of veracity between the two good republicans, with Boynton's side greatly strengthened by Keifer's long silence on the subject. All credit Keifer will get, and all the capital he may make for himself out of the matter, he is welcome to. He will not raise himself much in the estimation of either republicans or democrats by his spasm of questionable indignation

DON'T touch the tariff! exclaimed the monopolists.

The duty on cut diamonds is ten per cent. while that on mechanics' tools and farm implements is from 50 to 90 per cent.

Don't touch the tariff less Prince Shoddy may not be able to get cheap diamonds at the expense of the mechanic and farmer

The duty on fine lace is 25 per cent; the duty on coarse cotton goods worn by poor people, ranges from 50 up to 100 per cent. Don't touch the tariff lest Flora McFlimsey may not trick herself out in point and Valenciennes at the cost of the working women of the country.

The duty on silk velvet is 25 per cent; the duties on coarse woolen knit goods are from 60 to 85 per cent. Don't touch the tariff less the poor man get cheap clothing and the rich be obliged to pay more for their finery.

The duty on playing cards is ten per cent.; that on Bibles is 25 per cent. Don't touch the tariff for heaven's sake, but let the press teem and the pulpit ring with the praise of cheap euchre decks and dear Bibles

Don't touch the tariff!—Harrisburg Patriot

Decatur Lecture Course.

Robert J. Burdette, the "Hawkeye Man" will lecture on the "Rise and Fall of a Mustache" in the opera house, on Tuesday, Feb. 26. Holders of course tickets can secure reserved seats at Curtis & Co's on Friday morning, Feb. 22d.

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Dry Goods, Muslins, Shirtings, etc., etc. Fresh goods every day. Call to see us. Look at and price our goods,

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Firemen's Tournament.

The annual state tournament of the Iowa Firemen will be held at Des Moines, during the month of June, the exact date of which has not been set. The following prizes, which will be of interest to the Decatur Fire Laddies, have been offered for contestants:

Steep stakes, hook and ladder, $300.

Hose companies that have not made better time than 48 seconds, first $100, second, $50

Hose companies that have not made better time than 46 seconds, $100, second, $50.

Hose company sweep stakes $300

Ladder climber, first $25; second, $15

Hose coupler, first $25; second, $15.

Best drilled fire company first, $75; second, $50.

Best appearing company on parade first, $40; second $20.

Total amount of prizes. $2,885

Special rule to govern novelty hose race, company to consist of ten men or less. Test to be to take seven sections of hose wound on carts, all uncoupled, and make run of 550 feet, lay hose, make six couplings complete and attach to hydrants and put on play pipe (500 and 550 hose, make full track 900.)

There is very little prospect of Rescue hose company of this city attending the tournament unless the sweep stakes are made from $600 to $1,000. Otherwise they could not make expenses even though they should win the sweepstake prizes, which would be the only ones they could contest for. The special rule governing the novelty hose race, is not quite plain to our boys, it not being explicit or to the point, nor is any prize offered. If the sweepstakes are raised, the boys will probably participate

OUR SCHOOLS

Report of Attendance for Week Ending February 23, '84.

	Enrolled	½ days Absent	Tardy
HIGH SCHOOL.			
J N. Wilkinson	67	17	2
Mary W French	48	9	0
S Alice Judd	40	12	0
Mary Wilder	53	10	3
Ella Bear	64	28	1
FIRST WARD.			
T L Evans			
A R Hardy	44	37	0
M Thuneman	46	29	0
L. E Crowley	60	27	1
A Tinkler	70	22	0
L Demsey	102	74	1
SECOND WARD			
E Philbrook	63	44	0
I L Ruse	40	11	1
M M Edwards	58	30	0
B Fulton	64	30	0
M L Lukens	58	23	0
A E Murphy	81	31	0
THIRD WARD			
J L Durfee	65	30	5
A N. Jack	57	22	1
G. A Raymond	57	31	2
M. C. Gregory	58	46	2
N A Davidson	63	18	0
E C Philbrook	74	25	2
FOURTH WARD.			
Minnie A Parker	45	11	2
Rosa E Judson	50	39	5
Miss Brand	41	24	1
Annie F Woode	104	85	3
FIFTH WARD			
C. W Shleppy	54	30	1
M A Bradley	54	17	3
Sarah E Sanderson	50	16	0
Laura Montgomery	69	9	0
JONES SCHOOL			
Martha Johnson	15	2	0

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Gold to the amount of $2,000 000 was on Thursday shipped from New York for Europe.

A fire at Cortland, N. Y., destroyed Garrison and Union Hall blocks, valued at $100,000

The Yates Phalanx (the famous Thirty-ninth Illinois Infantry) held a successful reunion at Bloomington Thursday.

The annual report of the Chicago Board of Trade shows the shipment of farm products for 1883 to have been $365,763,000.

Representative Wise, of Virginia, will ask from Congress an appropriation of $30,000 to complete the monument to the mother of George Washington.

Cattle-raisers state that the late storms have killed ten per cent. of the stock on the Canadian and Beaver Rivers, and that the remainder are quite thin in flesh

Near Glasgow, O., early Thursday morning John Brehmer prevented his father, who was drunk, from murdering his wife, when the old man shot his son, inflicting a mortal wound.

The carnival at New Orleans opened last evening by a procession of the Knights of Momus. A military parade will take place to day, and a colossal statue of General Lee will be unveiled by his daughters.

The Sunday-school children of the United States have contributed $25,000 toward the cost of a steam-missionary vessel of 425 tons. She will be built at Bath, Me., and is expected to sail for Honolulu in November

The Canadian House of Commons has passed a bill granting nearly $30,000,000 of additional aid to the Pacific Railway. The Government will subsidize a bridge over the St. Lawrence at Quebec, to cost $5,000,000.

Judge Blackwell, of Danville, Va., testified Thursday before Senator Sherman's committee that in the election riot the whites formed in line and fired a volley at the negroes, and that he was suprised to find that no execution had been done.

The first regular annual meeting of the Southern States Immigration Society will be held at Nashville March 11, 12 and 13. James G. Blaine and Allen G. Thurman have been specially invited to speak, and some forty other distinguished orators are expected to be present.

It is believed at Lincoln, Ill., that Long, arrested with Hall for the Mount Pulaski murders, is simply a stool-pigeon, and that he has been purposely placed in the same cell with Hall with the intention of watching the latter, and, if possible, becoming his confidant.

An Old Lady Burned to Death.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 23.—Kaukauna, Walworth County, was the scene of a heart-rending tragedy Wednesday. The aged mother of Jacob Schmitz, proprietor of the American House, was the victim. At an early hour in the morning a fire was made in the old lady's room. Forty minutes later loud screams were heard, and smoke was seen issuing from the room. The son rushed in and found the whole place ablaze. He carried out his mother, but she was frightfully burned, and died in his arms. The son was also fatally burned. After great difficulty the fire was extinguished. The bed caught fire from the stove. Mrs. Schmitz was eighty years old.

March 1, '84

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One $85 Hamsher Iron Felloe Farm Wagon.
" 40 Suit made to order.
" 40 Sewing Machine.
" 35 Set of Harness from J. W. Tyler.
" 25 In Gold.
" 25 Man's Suit.
" 28 Seth Thomas Eight Day Clock, with alarm, from O. E. Curtis, & Co's, Jewelers
" 25 Man's Overcoat.
" 15 In Gold.
" 20 Youth's Suit.
" 10 In Gold.
" 12 Large Size, Velvet Upholstered Rocker, from R Liddle, Court House Block.
" 20 Youth's Overcoat.
" 11 Illinois Clothes Washer, manufactured by Boyd Braden & Co.
" 15 Pants made to order.
" 15 Boy's Suit.
" 10 Celluloid Toilet Set, in case, from Henry Smith, Druggist
" 15 Saratoga Zinc Trunk.
" 15 Boy's Overcoat.
" 10 Morocco Valise.
" Haworth Check Rower.
" Barrel Flour, from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
" Chamber Set, from E D Bartholomew & Co.
" Barrel Flour, from D S. Shellabarger & Co.
" No 38 Champion Monitor, Cook Stove, from Ferguson & Dillehunt No. 13 Water Street, (2,000 in use in Macon County.)

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NOW IS YOUR CHANCE.

Let every man of you become an agent at once for the sale of the "Hamsher Iron Felloe Wagon." Secure one for yourself first and then make a sale to your nearest neighbor, until the products of our rapidly developing county shall move to market to the music of the ring of the Iron Felloe, and add the labor of a thousand artificers to the industry and five thousand souls to the population of your thriving country town. Make a market at your doors for the product of your farms and so enhance the value of your fertile acres.

Buy and sell "Hamsher Iron Felloe Wagons" till every farmer shall be supplied.

What shall be done with the old wood fellow wagons? Let them dry out and make stove wood of them. Shed them in and preserve them as relics of a departed age. Do any thing but spend money for further repairs. Buy the Hamsher Iron Felloe Wagon. And buy at once.

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CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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AYER'S PILLS.

A large proportion of the diseases which cause human suffering result from derangement of the stomach, bowels, and liver. AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS act directly upon these organs, and are especially designed to cure the diseases caused by their derangement, including **Constipation, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Headache, Dysentery,** and a host of other ailments, for all of which they are a safe, sure, prompt, and pleasant remedy. The extensive use of these PILLS by eminent physicians in regular practice, shows unmistakably the estimation in which they are held by the medical profession.

These PILLS are compounded of vegetable substances only, and are absolutely free from calomel or any other injurious ingredient.

A Sufferer from Headache writes:

"AYER'S PILLS are invaluable to me, and are my constant companion. I have been a severe sufferer from Headache, and your PILLS are the only thing I could look to for relief. One dose will quickly move my bowels and free my head from pain. They are the most effective and the easiest physic I have ever found. It is a pleasure to me to speak in their praise, and I always do so when occasion offers.

W. L. PAGE, of W. L. Page & Bro."
Franklin St., Richmond, Va., June 3, 1882.

"I have used AYER'S PILLS in numberless instances as recommended by you, and have never known them to fail to accomplish the desired result. We constantly keep them on hand at our home, and prize them as a pleasant, safe, and reliable family medicine. FOR DYSPEPSIA they are invaluable.

J. T. HAYES."
Mexia, Texas, June 17, 1882.

The REV. FRANCIS B. HARLOWE, writing from Atlanta, Ga., says: "For some years past I have been subject to constipation, from which, in spite of the use of medicines of various kinds, I suffered increasing inconvenience, until some months ago I began taking AYER'S PILLS. They have entirely corrected the costive habit, and have vastly improved my general health."

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WASHINGTON.

The Democratic National Committee to Meet To-Day—Chicago's Chance for the Convention.

Hewitt and Belmont Engage in a War of Words and Almost Come to Blows in a Committee-Room.

Another Opinion as to Competing Telegraph Lines—Morrison's Tariff Bill—Congressional.

Other National Notes.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The Executive Committee of the Democratic National Committee held a meeting last evening at the Arlington. Nothing interesting was done, however, as it was found that the only real business before the committee to-day would be a settlement of the time and place of meeting, and to decide whether the campaign shall be a long or short one. Mr Goudy says he has talked with but two members who do not favor a short campaign, and he claims to have seen more than half of the committee. The committee received the report of the committee appointed to audit the accounts of the last campaign. The report showed receipts of $490,000, and a balance on hand of $1,500.

On the first ballot to-day in the Democratic National Committee, Chicago will receive the votes of Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Vermont, Virginia and Wisconsin. This is eighteen. There may be a variation of one or two either way, but not more than this, unless the advantages of Chicago create a break in its favor from other cities. Two votes more than the list given would be a majority, and there are positive assurances that Chicago will be selected on the second ballot. Twenty-three is the least, it is definitely stated, that Chicago can receive on the second ballot.

HOT WORDS FROM HEWITT.

There was quite an exciting scene in the House Committee on Foreign Affairs yesterday. It will be remembered that after the passage of the resolution asking the President to interfere and prevent the execution of O'Donnell it was reported that Mr. Hewitt called at the British Legation and told Minister West that it did not mean anything, but was simply adopted at the instigation of a lot of demagogues to capture the Irish vote. Hewitt has denied the story, but it is proposed to investigate the matter and the resolution for an investigation was taken up by the committee yesterday. Mr. Hewitt, who is not a member of the committee, was invited to be present and upon invitation made a few remarks. He plunged into the question directly and said that he had taken some pains to investigate the story and had discovered that Perry Belmont, of New York, who is a member of the committee and was present, was its author and originator. He believed the motive of his colleague was to injure his political standing in New York.

In this vein Hewitt was continuing his talk, when Belmont arose and said: "I do not propose to permit you to talk to me in this way, sir."

"I have no doubt the truth galls you, sir," retorted Hewitt. "Come, now, tell this committee if it is not true that you have retailed petty slanders about me without making the slightest attempt at rectifying them, and this, too, in advance of any hearing from me?"

Belmont hotly replied: "I have retailed no slanders about you. I dare say I have expressed my opinions pretty freely upon what was confessedly a public matter."

Hewitt answered: "You have perseveringly slandered me. You have stooped to defamation wholly unworthy of you. In the light of my statement here, what have you to say?"

"Nothing that you have said has changed my mind," replied Belmont.

"What do you mean, sir?" cried Hewitt. "Do you mean to say that I lie?"

Chairman Curtin rapped upon the table and commanded order as Belmont hotly cried out: "You are at liberty to infer what you please. I think there has been a precious lot of humbug about this whole matter. Men of sense understand it."

At this Hewitt cried: "Meddlesome and impertinent puppy!" and sprang forward. He was caught by a member of the committee. The epithets hurled back and forth between the two angry members shocked the dignified members and made the irreverent ones laugh. When order was restored Governor Curtin announced his regret that there should have been any such scene. He thought it best for both gentlemen to withdraw their remarks. Neither of them would do so, and soon after Hewitt retired.

COMPETING LINES OF TELEGRAPH.

President Dimock, of the Bankers' & Merchants' Telegraph Company, has submitted an argument in writing to the Senate Committee on Post-offices and Post roads against postal telegraphy. Mr. Dimock thinks that the postal telegraph should only be resorted to by the Government as a last expedient to free the people from the exactions of a monopoly such as the tyrannical Western Union. But so long as the public can be well enough protected by competing lines he sees no necessity in the Government assuming control of the telegraph. He argues that the Bankers' & Merchants' is no danger of being gobbled by the Western Union, and affords the people the competition they want.

THE MORRISON TARIFF BILL.

Morrison expects the hearings on the Tariff bill to close next Tuesday. The Ways and Means Committee will then begin its own review of the measure. Mr. Morrison speaks very freely concerning his plans, thus increasing the pressure from the interests to be affected. He is now willing, for the sake of expediency, to put all ores back on the customs lists. Coal will remain free. The wool schedules will come at least as low taxed from the committee as Mr. Morrison has them in his bill, and he even looked for a still further reduction of the present duties.

THE WHISKY BILL.

The Ways and Means Committee has decided to permit Willis' bill extending the bonded period on whisky now in warehouse to be reported to the House at once, the members of the committee not pledging themselves by this action for or against the bill.

BONDS CALLED IN.

The Secretary of the Treasury has called for $10,000,000 of three per cent. bonds, the interest upon which will cease May 1.

THE LASKER RESOLUTION.

On the question of the return of the Lasker resolution, Congressman Reed, of Maine, insists that it is the Reichstag, and not Congress, that has been insulted by Bismarck; that the document was sent to the Reichstag, and if Bismarck does not deliver the message the Reichstag should move in the matter. Chairman Curtin, of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, expressed the opinion that Bismarck's course was actuated by a desire on his part to dissolve the commercial relations existing between Germany and America.

MEXICAN VETERANS.

The Mexican War Pension bill, which caused the first dead lock of the session, has been supposed by many to benefit more people in the South than in the North. This is not the case. The majority of the soldiers in the Mexican war, according to the official records, came from the North. In response to the call for 30,000 volunteers, 87,000 responded promptly. Of these Massachusetts furnished 930; New York, 1,690; Ohio 5,734; Kentucky, 4,694; Indiana, 4,329, Illinois, 5,791, Missouri, 6,441, and Texas, 9,392. There were altogether 1,200 more men from the North than from the South.

HOUSE.

Soon after the session of the House began Thursday morning the Military Academy bill was taken up by the Representatives as a Committee of the Whole. Mr Belford, in speaking to a formal amendment, said he might select the brightest boy in his State and send him to West Point, but unless he answers some questions in grammar he would be rejected. "What, in the name of God," exclaimed Mr Belford, "has grammar to do with fighting a battle?" Mr McMillon offered an amendment providing that any student found guilty of hazing should be expelled. Mr Reifer opposed the amendment, and it was ruled out of order. Mr Belford moved to strike out the provision for longevity pay for the professors. He declared that not a member of Congress could pass the West Point examination any more than he could that of the cranks of the Civil service Commission, who were running their institution as a monopoly to get their friends in office and turn all others out. Messrs Holman and Thomas supported the motion and Mr Ellis opposed it. The motion was lost. Mr McAdoo offered an amendment reducing the expenses of the Board of Visitors from $3,000 to $1,000. The Board, he said, went to West Point to indulge in a fancy ball which had degenerated into a vicious social matrimonial market to which aspiring mammas brought their giddy daughters to palm them off on unfortunate youths. Mr Belford supported the amendment, saying that the appropriation was used by the Board to buy kid gloves, patent leather shoes, swallow tailed coats and ruffled shirts. Mr Dorsheimer defended the academy and its rulers from the imputation of snobbery. The amendment was lost, and the bill reported back to the House and passed—130 to 4. A motion to adjourn over until Monday was lost, 111 to 154, but a motion to adjourn over Washington's birthday was agreed to. The Post-Route bill was reported and passed, and the amendment declaring all public roads post routes was concurred in. The speaker presented to the House a message from the President informing the House of the gift of the steamship Alert by the British Government for the Greely relief service. Mr Randall moved that the communication be spread upon the journal of the House as a mark of the good feeling of the House toward Great Britain. Mr. Finerty cried out "I object!" but the motion was agreed to, Messrs Finerty and Robinson alone voting in the negative. The House then adjourned until Saturday.

SENATE.

Mr. Cullom introduced a bill into the Senate for the improvement of the navigation of the Mississippi River by strengthening the Sny Island levee. Mr Garland's bill providing that any person who should personate an officer or employe of the Government, should be fined $1,000 or less and imprisoned for not over three years was passed. The Senate then resumed the consideration of the National Bank Circulation bill. Mr Morgan spoke in support of his amendment permitting National banks to deposit the bonds of separate States as security for their circulation. While he was speaking Mr Sherman intervened with a joint resolution, which was passed, appropriating $10,000 for the Senate contingent fund. A long debate followed on Mr Morgan's amendment. Finally the amendment was withdrawn and the question recurred on the bill. The Senate then went into executive session and adjourned.

FEARS FOR MANY LIVES.

Gloomy but Meager Reports of the Flood—The River Slowly Receding.

SHAWNEETOWN, Ill., Feb. 22.—Reports received here of the ravages by Tuesday's storm grow worse and it is feared that many lives were lost. The wires have been so badly injured that reliable information is difficult to secure. Young Kielhorn, the mail-carrier from Shawneetown to Bowlesville, was knocked down and the mail lost, but he hung to a tree till rescued by James Logston, who happened to come by in a skiff. Caseyville and Uniontown, Ky., are almost swept out. Half the houses in Shawneetown lie flat and broken on the waters. Rations were issued Thursday to seven hundred people, and the supply will soon have run out.

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 22.—At eleven o'clock last night the river was all but stationary at fifty-one feet ten inches, the weather being clear and freezing. There is now no alarm whatever at this point. The river is still slowly rising at Paducah, Ky. Much suffering exists between here and Evansville, the relief boats being unable to supply all wants.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 22.—Navigation on the Ohio from here has been resumed. The Ohio & Mississippi Railway officials announce that the road has resumed running trains into the depots at Cincinnati, Louisville and St. Louis without detention.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 22.—The river fell over an inch an hour all day and evening, there being now thirty-eight feet five inches of water by canal marks and on the falls. Business is beginning to boom and boats are brushing up for business. The weather is clear and delightfully pleasant.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 22.—The waters are receding and it is believed the worst is passed. Careful estimates place the loss from the floods in this county at $750,000, but this will be more than compensated by the good done wheat and fruit crops. Present indications are that this will be the golden year for Southern California.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 22.—Yesterday morning the river began to fall at the rate of one-eighth of an inch an hour, and has continued to recede at about that rate almost all day. The weather being clear and cool, hope has revived, and it is now believed the worst is over.

The Greenbackers.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 22.—The National Greenback Committee have voted to hold the convention for the nomination for President and Vice-President at Indianapolis May 20. The call will be issued to-day by Jesse Harper, of Danville, Ill., Chairman, and Lee Crandall, of New York, Secretary. The State Convention meets today, and a preliminary gathering last night was addressed by Harper and others. There is a general sentiment among the faithful here in favor of Butler for President.

Heavy Failure in the Quaker City.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 22.—The United States Smelting Company of Philadelphia has failed. Many of the largest creditors are in New York City. Judgments have been entered against Mr. Hunt, the President, for about $25,000, of which one-third is due in New York. The failure is attributed to speculating in tin.

Moonshiners Killed and Wounded.

MORGANTOWN, N. C., Feb. 22.—Two revenue officers named Ray and Patterson killed three men named Horton, Miller and Burtickson, and wounded another man named Burtickson. The men were at work in a mica mine in Mitchell County.

"Duty and Pleasure."

Prompted Rev. R. F. White, of Greenville, N. Y., to write that "in eight hours after his wife began to take Athlophoros for an attack of inflammatory rheumatism she surprised all by walking from room to room, comparatively free from pain." The "specific cure," as Mr White calls it, went directly to diseased parts, reduced the inflammation, assuaged the pain, and worked a rapid cure, as it invariably does.

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THE OLD WORLD.

Comments of the German Press Upon the New Famous Lasker Resolution.

Semi-Official Newspapers Demanding the Immediate Recall of United States Minister Sargent.

Bradlaugh Again Refused a Seat in the House of Commons—Violent Gales on the English Coast.

Other Foreign Affairs.

OTHER OLD WORLD NEWS.

BERLIN, Feb. 22.—Semi-official newspapers openly demand the recall of Minister Sargent. The *Munich Allegemeine Zeitung* charges Sargent with having a scheme to influence the next elections in America by his diplomatic conduct at Berlin. It is thought certain that an interpellation will be made in the Reichstag regarding the Lasker affair.

BERLIN, Feb., 22.—The *North German Gazette* (Bismarck's organ) repels the attacks of the Opposition newspapers on the decree of Bismarck relative to the Lasker resolutions. It says "they do not express the slightest indignation at the attempt of a foreign body to interfere in internal affairs of Germany. The request addressed to Prince Bismarck by Minister Sargent was of such a remarkable character that it could only be explained by his ignorance of diplomatic usage. It amounted to nothing less than asking the Empire to indorse the vote of a foreign body and hand it vised to the Reichstag, for Bismarck's duty is simply to execute the commands of the Emperor. Bismarck is not in the employ of the International Democracy, but of the German Emperor. In the same way that the American Congress had attempted to cause the glorification of the late leader of the Secessionists by the Emperor, so could any foreign Progressist body seek to give the vote of confidence in Herr Richter, or a Socialist body a similar vote in Herr Bebel."

The *National Gazette* says: "Bismarck's decree is deprived of all sting for Congress and the American people, because the whole affair is made entirely a matter of internal German policy."

LONDON, Feb. 22.—The Conservative members of Parliament decided to support the election of Arthur Wellesley Peele, the Government candidate for the Speakership, about to become vacant by the resignation of Sir Henry Brand. They also decided to continue the opposition to Bradlaugh taking his seat in the House.

In the House of Commons, when the question of admitting Bradlaugh was broached, Sir Stafford Northcote moved that the House reaffirm the resolution preventing Bradlaugh from taking the oath and excluding him from the House. After a stormy discussion, in which Gladstone, Churchill and Labouchere took part, the motion was carried by a vote of 226 to 173.

SUAKIM, Feb. 22.—Firing is heard in the direction of Trinkitat.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Reports from General Gordon state that after the restoration of order he will leave Colonel Stewart in command of Khartoum and proceed to Kordofan. His object is an interview with El Mahdi, in order to learn the fate of Hicks Pasha.

General Graham, commander of the Tokar expedition has arrived at Suakim. Colonel Burnaby repulsed a body of rebels approaching the town. Large bodies of rebels are moving in the direction of Osman Digna's position. A Suakim dispatch says that the rebels present a formidable appearance. We shall beat them, but it will require the best kind of men to do so.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—It is reported that gales have caused serious damage in various parts of the United Kingdom. A terrific hurricane prevailed in St. George's channel. There was a tidal-wave in the River Mersey.

Iowa Irishmen in Convention.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Feb. 22.—The delegate State Convention of the Irish societies of Iowa met at the Opera House at ten o'clock yesterday. About three hundred delegates were present, representing every section of the State. An address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Claussen, and address stating the object of the meeting by Hon. M. V. Gannon, President of the State League. M. H. King, of Des Moines, was made temporary Chairman, and made a brief speech. A Committee on Resolutions and one on Credentials were appointed, and after an address by General Jones, of Dubuque, the convention adjourned till two o'clock.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of Mayor Fred O'Donnell, of Dubuque, as President, with five Vice-Presidents, and John Hughes, of Des Moines, Secretary, with two assistants. The usual resolutions were unanimously adopted.

A Conference Called.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A call has been mailed to about one hundred and fifty Republicans in New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Missouri and other States, asking them to attend a conference Saturday morning in New York, supplementary to a dinner in Brooklyn Friday night. The call says:

It is not proposed to organize a movement in behalf of any candidate, but it is hoped that, as a result of the comparison of views, some steps may be taken to give expression to the sentiments of a large number of Republicans who believe the success of the party at the coming Presidential contest can be assured only by the nomination of men in hearty accord with the principles of administrative reform, and such as will command the unreserved approval and support of the independent and thoughtful votors of the United States.

A Broken Leg Caused by Contracting Muscles.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 22.—Wednesday night Jeff Smith, a young man living at this place, had a spasm, during the continuance of which he suffered terrible agony. So great was his suffering that the muscles of his left leg contracted sufficiently to break his thigh. The strain on his system was such that he is now in a serious condition.

Suspicious Find in an Ohio Hospital.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 22.—Last Friday night a house in Avondale in which Beverly Taylor and his wife and Eliza Crumbert, an adopted child, all colored, lived, was burned down, and the inmates were missing. Last night the bodies of the missing inmates were found in the Ohio Medical College, and were taken to the city undertaker's.

An Aged Farmer Murdered.

LEBANON, Conn., Feb. 22.—Harvey Chappell, aged seventy-eight, a wealthy farmer living alone, was found murdered in his house.

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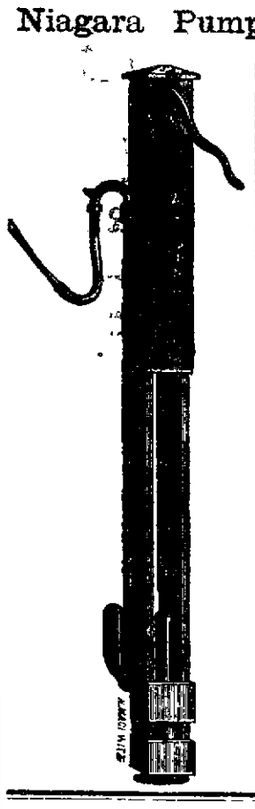

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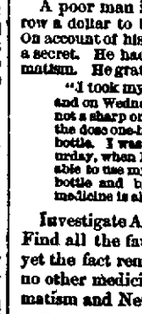

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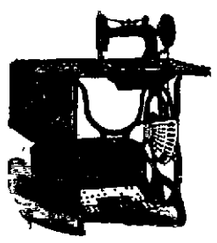
Blue  Ribbon

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of William H. Craig, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of William H. Craig, late of the County of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County at the court house in Decatur at the March term on the third Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this fourth day of January, 1884.

j14w WILLIAM C. BRESLSOARD, Adm'r.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss. Macon County Circuit Court

Isaac Shellabarger vs. David T. Beauman et al } No. 11,810 Foreclosure

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1883, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court on

Saturday, February 23d, A. D., 1884,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash at the north door of the court house in Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to wit: The west half of the south west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) township seventeen (17) north range three (3) east of the 3d principal meridian containing eighty (80) acres, more or less situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. Decatur, Illinois, Feb. 2, 1884.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois.
I. A. BUCKINGHAM, Comp. Sol. feb2-3w

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss. Macon County Circuit Court

Isaac Hurst vs. Jacob Daughenbaugh et al } No. 11,837

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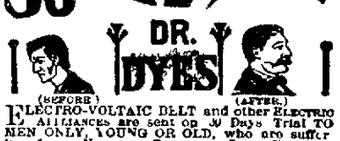

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DIRE SCENES OF DEATH.

The Paths of Tuesday's Terrific Cyclone Strewn with the Ruins of Countless Homes.

The Lives Lost Number, so Far as Known, 298, and it Is Thought Will Reach 400.

Thousands of Buildings Demolished, Children Lawn Out of Sight and Huge Trees Torn to Atoms.

A Land of Corpses.

GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE GALE.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 22.—As fuller reports of the cyclone which devastated the northern part of this State and Alabama and the western sections of North and South Carolina come in, the disaster seems to grow in terrible proportions. No perfect estimate of the number of lives lost or the damage done can yet be formed, but it is known beyond all doubt that this is the greatest disaster that has ever happened in America. The killed and wounded belong almost exclusively to the poorer classes, and there will be suffering and destitution among those who escaped. The number of deaths so far reported aggregates 298. Of these 113 are in Georgia, 48 in North Carolina, 103 in South Carolina, and 34 in Alabama. Many sections have not been heard from, and the death list will probably reach 400.

One of the worst tales of the storm comes from Grassy Knob, one of the highest parts of the long swamp range in Cherokee County. The cyclone came in sight seven miles to the right of Jasper. It went over the mountains and out of sight eight miles from that town. It was in sight perhaps five minutes, and in ten the tract had returned to its erstwhile quiet. The devastated route was from half a mile to three miles across.

In that five minutes' trip over that fifteen-mile sluice of country Mrs. Levi Cogle and two children, William Graver, William Herrin, Alonzo Wright, Mrs. James Dowde and two children, Mrs. Wyley, Mrs. Lewis King and two children, John Nicholson, Mrs. Nations, Mrs. Watkins, a child of Perry Pettit, a child of W. H. Collier and a child of Hiram Walker were killed—twenty deaths in all, known and accounted for.

In the fifteen miles the cyclone crossed the Western & Atlantic Railroad near Cartersville, but did nothing of consequence until it reached a point a few miles from Jasper. Then it made a fifteen-mile shoot for Grassy Knob, and this is what it left: Archer's mill and Pitt's store were blown down. John Nicholson's house was demolished, and his wife and the aged sister of the Hon. Lem Alfred killed. The Widow Corbin's house was blown down, but out of the eight persons in it none were hurt. James Dowde was torn to pieces and his wife and two children killed. Lewis King's house was destroyed and his wife killed. Bill Anderson's house was blown down and his little girl hurt. The Refuge Baptist Church was blown to atoms. William Reese's wife ran into the cellar of her house with her eight children. The building was blown from over them and dashed into a million splinters. Mr. Reese had an arm broken, and one child had a finger hurt so that it had to be amputated.

In the lower part of Pickens and the edge of Cherokee Counties six people were hurt. W. B. McCrary was in the road at the time the cyclone passed and had his wagon and himself blown furiously for a hundred yards into the woods. The wagon was wholly demolished.

Tates (or Cool Spring, as the town is called) was wiped from the face of the earth.

COLUMBUS, Ga., Feb. 22.—Tuesday's cyclone passed through Lincoln County about dusk, ranging from southwest to northwest. It missed Lincolnton about a mile. A large two-story building known as the Warner place was unrooted and all of the outhouses on the place leveled. Two negro children were killed and a third one is missing. The latter is supposed to have been burned up in the cabin which was blown down. Thirteen other negroes are injured, some fatally. Rev. P. F. Furgess' house was greatly damaged, but no one was hurt. On Samuel Ranson's place two negroes were killed and three houses blown down. The track of the cyclone was about half a mile wide, and everything in its path was destroyed. The destruction of life and property was unprecedented. At Harmony Grove, Jackson County, the Nash Hotel was swept away, killing a white lady and fatally wounding another. Mrs. Nash is also at the point of death. Mr. Hix and son were killed in a falling building. In Oconee County many lives were lost, and fences and houses were blown down. Mrs. Scogo and Miss Mertie McCarthy died Wednesday from nervous prostration caused by the storm. One of the peculiar features of the storm was a quantity of hail which fell in Harris County. It fell in pieces of about five inches in circumference in many curious shapes. In Baldwin County hail fell as large as goose-eggs, and in Warren County it was so heavy as to form drifts two feet deep.

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 22.—Details from the track of the cyclone in this State received make it worse than was expected. After passing through Darlington, in South Carolina, where four persons were killed and fifty houses blown down, the storm entered this State at the town of Polkton, in Anson County, on the Carolina Central Railroad. The wind then moved east and destroyed everything in its path. The storm blew down McDonald's mills. The millstones were found fifty yards from where the house stood. Litesville, in the same county, was struck and several negroes were killed. A woman was found in a swamp with her babe on her breast alive. Six dead bodies were found near Lillington, Harnett County. The track appears to have been through Union, Anson, Montgomery, Stanley, Richmond, Moore, Robeson, Cumberland, Harnett, Johnson, Sampson, Nash and Edgecomb. In Johnson the track was four hundred yards wide, and in this space everything was swept from off the face of the earth as if by fire. Several persons are reported injured, but no one is known to have been killed. On the plantation of William Little, who lives near Ansonville, twenty-eight houses were destroyed. At Rocky Mount two churches and a number of other buildings were blown down and two children killed. The worst of the cyclone was at Rockingham, where twenty-three persons were killed and eighteen wounded. Those who were on the edge say that all was over in two or three minutes. Everything was destroyed and the people were killed or wounded in that short time. Fragments of houses only remained. The largest trees were torn up by the roots, and the ground was covered with broken timbers. Many were killed and wounded by flying timbers. A young lady, when the house began to rock, ran out, and was instantly killed by being pierced through by a flying fence rail. Men who had been to Philadelphia Church say that the scene of the disaster is worse than a battle-field. After the wind had passed the rain fell in torrents; when the rail had nearly ceased hailstones of extraordinary size fell in great quantities. Horses, mules and cattle were killed by scores.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 22.—Additional details of the terrible work wrought by the tornado of Tuesday night continue to be received from various parts of the State. In the neighborhood of Ellenton, on the Port Royal & Augusta Railroad, all the houses on several plantations were demolished, and six negroes killed. The depot at Jackson's station was leveled. The store and dwelling of J. C. Hankinson was destroyed, the family escaping with serious injuries. Tom Walters, colored, was blown 300 yards and killed, his body being terribly mangled. All the doors and windows of Larkin's residence were blown out, and his bedding blown into the fire-places and burned up. The damage to timber in that neighborhood is incalculable. At Marietta, Greenville County, a large new Methodist Church was demolished. Twenty residences were destroyed in the village of Golightly, Spartanburg County. Three persons were killed and several seriously injured. Many barns and stables were leveled, and all the horses and mules killed. Two children were taken uninjured from a bed on which had fallen two heavy pieces of wood. In Fairfield County a large number of plantation tenements, occupied by colored people, were demolished and many of the inmates killed and injured. The dwelling of Mrs. Stelling, about seventy years old, was blown down and she was killed. A young lady living with her was fatally injured. In Lancaster the track of the tornado was from one to two miles wide. It blew down all the timber and tenant houses, and unroofed many large houses. In Williamsburg County a house occupied by a family named Harrington was wrecked and all its occupants injured. Two tornadoes encircled the city of Columbus, neither of which touched. At Chapels Depot seven persons are dead or wounded. Every building in the town has been torn to pieces. The tornado seems to have vented its fury to a greater or less degree throughout the entire State. Thousands of acres of forests were swept away like chaff. Railroad cars loaded with freight were lifted from the tracks, hurled hundreds of yards and wrecked. Many instances are reported where parents and children were lifted from their homes by the storm, carried high in the air, and landed on the ground again without sustaining any injury.

Dorsey Has Forsaken Politics.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Ex-Senator Stephen W. Dorsey, Robert G. Ingersoll and wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Alley and two daughters, of Boston, were at the Grand Pacific yesterday en route to New Mexico. Mr. Dorsey is bound for his ranch, and the rest of the party are going to Santa Fe. They expect to be absent for three weeks.

Mr. Dorsey, in conversation at the Grand Pacific, said: "I am out of politics and am disgusted with everything about political affairs. I am also disgusted with the Government, which has prostituted every principle in its fabric by its action in the star-route trial. I carried Indiana for Garfield and helped the Republican party achieve success, and in return for my services they tried to put me in prison."

Mr. Dorsey has concentrated his interests in the large ranch owned by Messrs. Ingersoll, Alley and himself. It consists of 23,000 acres and controls 4,000,000 acres. It is eighty miles in length and sixty miles in width. Messrs Ingersoll and Alley paid $700,000 for their share in it.

Iowa Legislature.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 22.—In the Senate a bill was passed providing for the publication of the annual proceedings of the Iowa Stock-Breeders' Association. The bill to locate the Supreme Court at Des Moines came up. It is supported by Hall, Glass and Robinson, and opposed by Bills and Latabee. Pending a vote the Senate adjourned.

In the House Mr. Campbell, Greenbacker, offered a resolution for investigating the affairs of the Agricultural College. A committee of five was appointed to report whether any just cause for an investigation exists.

Demise of a Noted Belle.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22.—Mrs. Fred W. Paramore wife of the son of Colonel J. W. Paramore, President of the Texas & St. Louis Railroad, died yesterday morning. Mrs. Paramore prior to marriage was Miss Nellie Hazeltine, daughter of William B. Hazeltine, formerly a prominent merchant of St. Louis, and was a leading belle of that city for many years. She was a very beautiful and accomplished lady, and was well known in Eastern and Southern society, and became famous a few years ago as the reported fiancee of Samuel J. Tilden.

Death of the Hero of Chickamauga.

GALENA, Ill., Feb. 22.—Thomas Shannon, the original hero of Chickamauga, died at his home near Galena Thursday morning, aged seventy-two years. Shannon was a member of the famous Ninety-sixth Illinois regiment of infantry during the late war, and gained the appellation of "the hero of Chickamauga" by capturing single-handed and alone, while on picket duty, three armed rebels and marching them before General Grant at headquarters.

Chinamen as Bears on Opium.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—The opium seized on board the steamer Tokio in January, 1882, valued at $30,000, over which there has been so much litigation, was offered for sale Thursday for the benefit of the United States Government. A few boxes were sold, when it became evident that the Chinese had combined to keep the price down, and the opium was withdrawn by order of the United States Marshal.

Important Journalistic Change.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22.—Joseph Pulitzer, of the New York *World* and St. Louis *Post-Dispatch*, was in this city yesterday, and it is whispered that the result of his mission has been the engagement of Joseph B. McCullagh, of the *Globe-Democrat*, to succeed Mr. Snowden, who has just resigned the managing editorship of the *World*.

A $30,000 Fire at Palmyra, Wis.

PALMYRA, Wis., Feb. 22.—The Stewart House here was burned yesterday morning along with several business houses. The loss is $30,000, with insurance of about one-half. The fire was of incendiary origin. The town has a population of 500.

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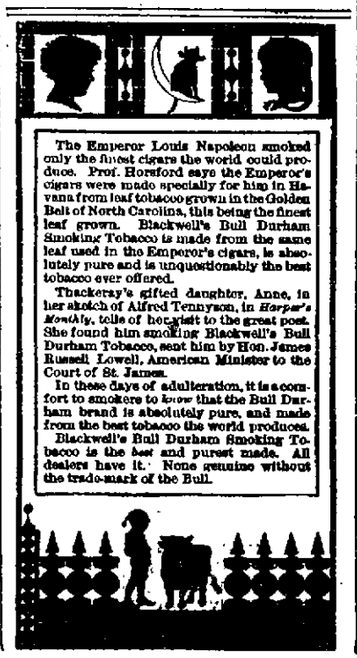

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No. 4, Atlantic Express	11:55 p m
" 2, Lightning Express	10:45 p m

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Going East	8:10 a m
Going East	4:25 a m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line	5:15 a m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation	6:55 a m
" 5, Fast Mail	3:20 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going West	12:20 p m
Going West	10:40 p m

Chicago Division.

GOING EAST.

No. 48, Chicago Express	12:05 a m
" 44, Chicago Mail	12:10 p m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	4:01 a m
" 45, St. Louis Mail	8:30 p m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	4:00 a m
" 43, Fast Line	5:15 a m
" 45, Fast Mail	3:22 p m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express	12:15 a m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11:55 p m
" 42, Lightning Express	10:40 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West	6:20 a m
Arrive from West	7:00 p m

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Arrive from East	10:40 a m
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Passenger	10:15 p m
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Passenger	7:00 a m
Passenger	8:15 p m
Freight	10:45 a m

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GOING NORTH.

Passenger	5:20 a m
Accommodation	2:20 p m
Freight	4:15 p m

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

The weather liar is still on top.

The banks did not close their doors yesterday.

Thirteen excursionists went west over the Wabash yesterday.

Wilson's Hair Dye gives the hair a natural appearance. f19d1w

Don't forget the Free Lunch at Dan's Bank on Saturday. f21d3t

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An electric light has been hung on North Main street, between Prairie and William streets.

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A parade of the militia has been ordered in Chicago to-day, in honor of Washington's birthday.

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The Guards' flag streamed in the breeze from their Armory yesterday, in honor of Washington's birthday.

The Mason county circuit court is in session this week, and has already contributed seven convicts to the penitentiary.

G. P. Hart, the upholsterer, will soon occupy the basement of the Fleury building.

Hotel business has been splendid for the past week or more, and the hotels in this city have been crowded to their full capacity.

A Sunday school teacher asked a little boy some time ago if he was a christian. His answer was emphatically, "No, I am a republican."

D. Dustman will remove his stock of furniture from his present quarters on Merchant street, to the new Haworth block, about the 15th of next month.

The hens, which have been on a strike during the winter, are now laying more generously, and a decline in the price of their fruit is now looked for.

An elegant sign has been placed in front of the office of the "Decatur Mutual Life and Accident Relief Association." It is the handiwork of Dockson, the sign painter.

For nice choice groceries, fresh bread and cakes, glass and queensware, baled hay, corn and oats, call on C. A. & W. K. Hedges, at 537 North Church street, Decatur, Illinois. f16d&w3m.

The writhing of the shadows of the electric light wires on the sidewalk, would strongly remind a man who takes his "nip," that there was something writhing about his boots that are only brought there by baths taken in the flowing bowl.

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Manufacturers Prices.

CHEAP STORE.

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...subject to the call of Commissioner S. P. Brown, of Chicago, will soon be held. It will be remembered that at a meeting held a few weeks ago, a percentage for the lines was declared, but General Manager Bradbury, of the P. D. & E, refused to abide by it, as his road was not represented in the meeting.

Officers Welty and Helmick locked up Mike Muix last evening for drunkenness.

Thirty-one instruments were filed for record in the circuit clerk's office yesterday.

The electric light on Prairie street was put up by Al. Morgan, Fred Norman, Jim Veale, H. Post and Henry Ebert.

Burglars effected an entrance to the residence of B. L. Hughes on E. North street last night, but as far as is known nothing was stolen.

Don't lend your paper. Politely inform the borrower that you believe in the principle that what is worth borrowing is worth owning. If the person is not too dull or too stingy he will subscribe and pay the printer for his labor.

The town is more excited over the appearance of Burdette at the opera house next Tuesday night, than it is over the quack ordinance or the sinking fund loan. Be sure to hear him. Gallery tickets only 35 cents You will have to go early in order to get even a gallery seat.

Miss Watson will remove her large and elegant stock of millinery and fancy goods to her new rooms in the Haworth block about the first of March, where, with more space, better light, and large additions to her stock to meet the spring trade, she will be better than ever prepared to meet the wants of her customers.

The Pittsfield Democrat says. "The train on the Wabash since Monday has run through this county via Hulls to Quincy, returning eastward over the same route, on account of the insecurity of the Meredosia bridge. It is supposed that the bridge will be repaired shortly, and the trains return to their old route.

Joe Critchfield, the temperance lecturer has completed his labors in this city, having made a very favorable impression as an earnest and zealous worker for the cause, and an enthusiastic speaker. He will be followed by Mrs. Lucy Simpson, the colored orator, or the "Fred Douglas of her sex." She will speak on Sunday afternoon at the tabernacle.

Bold Robbery.

A bold robbery was perpetrated on the out-going St. Louis train yesterday afternoon, before it had gone many yards from the depot. The victim was a Dunkard from the vicinity of Mt. Zion, but no one who had seen him previous to his boarding the train, knew his name. While the train was between the depot and Haworth's check rower manufactory, the man was seized by three strangers on the car platform, and relieved of $15 in money, a check for $39 and an annual pass over the road. As soon as the audacious deed was accomplished, the robbers leaped from the platform, and were making good their escape when they dircovered that Tom Russel, the detective, was pursuing them. Tom is generally about the depot in the afternoon, and while around yesterday, he discovered the three strangers eyeing the Mt Zion man. Suspecting that their intentions were of a dishonest nature, he mounted the train when it pulled out and discovered them performing their daring work as above stated When the found Tom pursuing them, they halted, and one of them dealt him a heavy blow on the side of the head. Seeing that they outnumbered him, Tom hurried to the depot and informed the police of what had happened, but very little credit was attached to his story, notwithstanding he bore the mark of the blow. A short time after, a telegram was received from Conductor Gray, who was in charge of the train, and it corroborated Tom's statement, but up till a late hour last evening the robbers had not been captured. More dependence should have been placed on Russell's story in the first place, who is deserving of at least a little credit for getting onto the robber's game, and watching them.

DIED.

CLABAUGH—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Lally, on Union street, on Thursday morning, February 21, 1884, Mrs. Virginia, wife of William Clabaugh, aged 21 years

Mrs. Clabaugh removed to this city, with her husband and two daughters, some three or four months since, and during her brief sojourn in Decatur had gained the respect and esteem of many friends. But she was in delicate health, consumption having marked her for a victim, and she doubtless was aware that her time here could not be long. She leaves a devoted husband and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate wife and mother. Her remains will be taken to Elmwood, Peoria county, to-day, for interment—her parents and most of her relatives being residents of that town and vicinity.

Joe's Benefit.

Joe Critchfield, the temperance lecturer, who has been holding successful meetings at the tabernacle for the past week, took a benefit last evening. The tabernacle was filled with a fair audience, and if there was ever a well pleased one, it was that of last evening. Mr. Critchfield and his daughter, Effie, more than pleased their hearers. Miss Clara Morris, the wonderful little child, who will give a select entertainment at the Universalist church on Monday evening, convulsed the audience with her "Drunkard's Soliloquy," and was forced to respond to the hearty encore. The entertainment was splendid, and we are glad to state, resulted in the realizing of a neat sum for Mr. Critchfield.

Guards' Ball.

The Decatur Guards gave an elegant ball at their armory last evening, which was attended by a large number of fashionably dressed ladies and gentlemen. Excellent music was furnished, and a very pleasant evening was spent. The ball was a success in every sense of the word.

Dry stove wood, cord wood and chunks at McClelland's, Telephone 21. j8dtf

PERSONAL.

Amos Conklin was in Mt. Zion yesterday.

Rev. Gibb went to Litchfield yesterday.

Harry Durfee left yesterday for Lincoln, Neb.

R. S. Bohon has returned home from Kentucky.

Dr. J. D Wheeler went to Raymond yesterday.

Jim Penniwell was in Bethany yesterday on business.

Pat Donahue is again tending bar at Jim Gogerty's saloon.

Mrs. J. H. Krebs went to Litchfield yesterday to visit friends.

Parson D. L. Bunn went to Taylorville yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Lilly has been on the sick list for several days past.

Rev. W. H. Prestley is confined to his home with a throat trouble.

Mr. Rueben Betzer and Michael Eichinger have gone to Delphi, Ind.

Mr. John Ullrich, the wholesale grocer, was at Lovington yesterday.

Steinback & Dickehoff have just had their saloon re papered in elegant style.

Scott Winings and Dr. J. C. Capps, of Lake City, were in Decatur yesterday.

S. W. Wright, jr., and Arthur Hampton, of Sullivan, were in the city yesterday.

George Ehrhardt will go to Buffalo to day, on business connected with his wood yard.

Superintendent Bressie, of the Pacific Express company, went east on business last evening.

W. H. Linn, the well-known and prominent dry goods merchant, has gone east to buy goods.

Jim Gogerty has given up the saloon business and taken a position as day yardman in this city.

Mr. M. C. Gregory, of Dalton City, returned to his home yesterday, after visiting a couple of days with relatives in this city.

Mr. Henry Anthony, of the brewing firm of Anthony & Kuhn, of St Louis, is in the city calling on the firm's customers.

Mrs. Lucy Simpson, the colored lady who speaks on the temperance question, will lecture at the tab. to-morrow afternoon.

George McGrew, a traveling stationery salesman from St. Louis, was about the court house yesterday, buzzing the boys for orders.

Frank Payne has been at home the last few days. He is regaining his health and looks as if he might do some tall traveling in the future.

Miss Mary Hughes, of Pekin, is the Midland day operator and agent at Hervey City. She boards in this city, going out to her work every morning.

Messrs. Jacob Nelson and Alexander Greenfield, of Friends Creek township, had business in Decatur yesterday, and were welcome callers on the Review.

Hon. J. R. Race, one of Decatur's prominent and influential citizens, was in the city yesterday and departed homeward in the evening.—Springfield Monitor.

Mr. H. B. Funk, of the Monticello Bulletin, was in the city yesterday accompanied by his better half. Funk is a red hot democrat, and rightly believes that this fall's election will stem the republican tide, and flow it into democratic channels.

Mr. Henry McClellan, the genial deputy circuit clerk, holds the following offices in the grand and local lodges of Knights of Pythias: District Depu y Grand Chancellor; Representative to Grand Lodge: Chairman Committee of Appeals and Grievances; Keeper of Record and Seal; Master of Finance; Secretary and Treasurer of Section 184 Endowment Rank.

Mr. John Koch, a member of the firm of Koch Bros., of Peoria, was in the city yesterday. The firm was burned out some weeks ago, and was made to suffer an extremely heavy loss, but like the energetic men that they are, they are preparing to resume business. In the fire, John lost his bycicle, which was one of the finest in this country, and as he was an expert wheelman, he felt greatly cut up over his loss. The wheel was imported from England at a large cost, and was beautiful in finish and quality.

Election of Officers.

The directors of the Foster Detachable Hook company held a meeting last evening at the banking house of Gorin, Dawson & Co, and elected the following officers: J. R. Gorin, president; W. H. Acuff, secretary; J. A. Dawson, treasurer; H. E. Foster, general superintendent.

The following gentlemen compose the board of directors: J. R. Gorin, W. H. Starr, C. M. Caldwell, W. H. Acuff, H. E. Foster, G. D. Randolph, A. M. Werner, George Handy and S. R. Gehr.

Grand Free Lunch.

The genial, jolly, and jovial president of "Dan's Bank," will celebrate his return from the scenes of his childhood, in Virginia, by serving a grand free Roast Beef lunch, with all the delicacies of the season, on Saturday next, day and evening. His lunch will be served in excellent style, and as free as Sal—what's her name! f21d3t

Spring's Coming

And with it fresh goods; that is, we are receiving daily installments of Dress Good Embroideries, Corsets, Hosiery, Sheetings, Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Bed Spreads Table Linen, Towels, etc., etc. See and price them. We will make it to your interest.

BIG 18 CHEAP STORE,
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FAIR AT WARRENSBURG.

A Fair Which the Fair Ladies Made a Very Pleasant Affair.

For some time past the managers of the Ladies Aid Society at Warrensburg have contemplated a fair and festival for the benefit of the M. E. church—to raise money for the improvement of their church edifice. The contemplation resulted in a grand culmination: Washington's birthday was the time, and a room belonging to Zach Boughn the place agreed upon for the entertainment, and these requisites of time and place being settled, the estimable ladies, with a zeal that knows no flagging and labor that knew no lagging, matured their plans, and conducted them to a most successful issue. The hall was beautifully arranged and decorated, displaying exquisite taste and admirable skill on the part of those whose dainty fingers wrought the beauties of the scene.

On one side was arranged a long table, profusely laden with edibles of the choicest kind, prepared in the highest style of culinary art, and delicacies that would have tempted and tickled the palate of the most fastidious epicurean On the other side of the hall was a table upon which fancy and useful articles were tastefully displayed for sale or to be disposed of as is the custom on such occasions. The hall was well lighted by Japanese lanterns, and presented a very pleasing appearance in the mellowness of their subdued rays. The display of fancy articles was very fine, embracing crazy quilts in silk and worsted, as well as many others of articles combining the beautiful with the useful, and a profusion of artificial flowers, the handiwork of Mrs. Wm. Ritchie.

An interesting and attractive feature was "The Old Woman who lived in a Shoe." A huge shoe in which was seated a lovely little girl surrounded by a number of dolls, occupied one corner, and was much admired. This "side show" was conducted by Mrs. H. C. Binckley. There were several other interesting and amusing features which we have neither time nor space to enumerate

Rev. Mr. James, pastor of the church, was present, his kind words and benevolent looks encouraging and cheering the ladies in their good works, while his estimable wife contributed largely to the success of the affair, and made every visitor feel welcome.

The entertainment was enlivened with fine music, vocal and instrumental, and was a most enjoyable one throughout. Much credit is due all connected with it, and they deserve the success which crowned their earnest and well-directed efforts.

HOUSELESS AND HOMELESS!

The Grand Army of the Republic Takes Measures for the Relief of the Flood Sufferers.

Notwithstanding the prompt action taken, and generous aid furnished by the general and state governments to the sufferers by the late devastating floods in the Ohio river, and the equally generous reponses made to appeals by benevolent and christian societies throughout the country, there is much distress in the flooded districts that appeals to the charitable. Other cities have been making efforts in this direction, and much good has been done, but more is necessary, and our people should not be behind in answering the call.

Mr. G. S. Durfee, commander of Dunham Post, G. A. R., of this city, has received a copy of General Order No. 4, from Department Commander Dickason, reciting the destitution and suffering of comrades, caused by the recent unprecedented floods in the Ohio and tributaries, and calling attention to the pressing needs of immediate relief, which now exists and will continue to exist for several weeks to come—many having lost their houses and all their effects. Special meetings of all Illinois posts have been ordered, that the subject may be considered, and contributions made for the relief of suffering comrades, in obedience to which Dunham Post will have a meeting this evening to take action pursuant to said order.

Our citizens should also have a meeting, and appoint committees to make a canvass of the city, in order that all who have the disposition or ability may have an opportunity of contributing to the relief of their destitute fellow citizens.

County Prohibition Convention.

The prohibitionists of Macon county met at the tabeanacle yesterday at one o'clock, p. m., with Dr. J. S. King in the chair. A. F. Smith was elected secretary.

After the call had been signed by nearly all present the County Central committee was reorganized as follows: Dr. J. S. King, Chairman; Wm. Hight, Macon; R. Andrews, Maroa; L. Boughn, Warrensburg; Capt. J. S. Post, Decatur; A. F. Smith, secretary, Decatur.

The County Central Committee, on motion, was authorized to reorganize the township committee as soon as practacable. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of the Prohibitory party county convention that as far as possible a complete enrollment of those in favor of the Prohibition party shou'd be made in every township of this county, and a list of said names be forwarded to the secretary of the county central committee, whose duty it shall be to enroll the same in a book kept for that purpose."

It was decided to postpone the selection of delegates to the State convention until the county convention meets at the call of the county central committee and a more thorough enrollment can be had.

The Macon township committee was announced as follows: Robert Bevans, chairman; A. W. Beddle and Anton Beschle.

Coal and Wood.

Parties wishing a good article of Mt. Olive coal and dry jack oak wood, by calling early will have special prices. J. H. VINNIGERHOLTZ. a25tf

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